

Ordinance No. \_\_\_\_\_, Series 2007

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING §§ 72.007 and 72.125  
OF THE LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY  
METRO GOVERNMENT CODE OF ORDINANCES  
[LMCO], RELATING TO PARKING REGULATIONS.**

**Sponsored By: Councilwoman Marianne Butler, District 15**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL OF THE  
LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT [THE COUNCIL]  
AS FOLLOWS:**

**SECTION I.** LMCO 72.007 is hereby amended to read as follows:

**§ 72.007 ENFORCEMENT.**

Enforcement of this subchapter shall be by citation issued by sworn peace officers, ~~duly elected constables of the Jefferson County~~, Metro Government, or PARC.

**SECTION II.** LMCO 72.125 is hereby amended to read as follows:

**§ 72.125 RESPONSE TO NOTICE REQUIRED.**

(A) Any person who receives notice of a parking violation shall respond to such notice as provided in this section within seven days of the date of the notice, by either paying the fine set forth in the notice or requesting a hearing pursuant to these procedures.

(B) If the owner of a vehicle cited for a parking violation has not responded to the notice within seven days as provided in subsection (A) of this section, Metro Government shall send a second notice by U.S. mail to the last known address of the registered owner of the vehicle as listed on the certificate of title. Such notice shall state that if the owner of the vehicle does not respond

to the notice by either paying the fine or by requesting in writing a hearing pursuant to these procedures within 15 days of the date of the notice, the owner shall be deemed to have waived his or her right to a hearing and the determination that a violation was committed shall be considered final. Any person who fails to request a hearing or pay the fine within the seven days shall be deemed to have refused to pay the fine levied by the citation.

(C) An additional penalty, not to exceed \$5.00, shall be imposed upon a registered owner should notice be required to be sent to the owner by certified mail by reason of the owner's having failed or refused to respond to a notice of parking violation.

~~(C)~~ (D) The registered owner of a vehicle at the time the violation occurred shall be liable for all fines, fees and penalties which he or she has refused to pay.

**SECTION III.** This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage and approval.

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**Kathleen J. Herron**  
**Metro Council Clerk**

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**Rick Blackwell**  
**President of the Council**

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**Jerry E. Abramson**  
**Mayor**

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**Approval Date**

**APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:**

**Irv Maze**  
**Jefferson County Attorney**

**BY:** \_\_\_\_\_